

Democratic State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR,
DR. LUKE P. BLACKBURN,
Of Jefferson County.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR,
HON. JAS. E. CANTRELL,
Of Scott County.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL,
P. W. HARDIN,
Of Mercer County.

NOT AUDITOR,
GEN. FAYETTE HEWITT,
Of Hardin County.

FOR TREASURER,
HON. J. W. TATE,
Of Franklin County.

FOR SUFF. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
PROF. J. DESHA PICKETT,
Of Fayette County.

FOR REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE,
CAPT. RALPH SHELTON,
Of Nelson County.

County Ticket.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
HON. R. P. HOCKER.

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THE Louisville Commercial, all its fixtures &c. are to be sold at Public Auction on the 15th inst.

MR. MEADOR might appropriately be styled the great Absentee.

DR. J. O. CARSON, of Bowling Green, will accept our kindest thanks for favors shown us while attending the Press Convention.

How many bills did Dr. Meador introduce during his two sessions in the Legislature, and what were their titles? The News will please answer.

THE Louisville and Nashville Railroad company, on last Wednesday, declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent on capital stock from the past six months' earnings.

OUR thanks are due and are hereby tendered Mr. C. G. Smallhouse, of Bowling Green, for numerous favors rendered us while in attendance upon the Press Convention.

GEN. TOM EWING, who took the Republicans over the face and eyes for their foolishness for military interference at the polls and their tendencies toward centralization. The signs of the times indicate that the gallant Ewing will be next governor of Ohio.

GRAYSON county has four candidates for Legislative honors, viz: Burdine Beauchamp (nephew of the Democratic party); Wm. Wortham (Greenback); Mr. Hise (Independent Democrat).

The Democrats ought to dance up and vote for their regular nominee, Burdine Beauchamp, and elect him.

WE wonder how Dr. J. W. Meador proposes to revise the Common School laws so as to reduce the expense of the system? And we further wonder why the necessity for a curtailment of expenses in that bureau has not suggested itself to the Doctor's mind during the two sessions which he has served in the Kentucky Legislature.

WHEN Mr. Hocker was a candidate for the Legislature in 1875, he promised retrenchment. We have looked over his record to see if he tried to fulfill his promise and find that he did. One of the first things found was a reduction of the State tax five cents on the \$100. Mr. Hocker voted for it and assisted in its passage.

BARRITT should show his consistency in the canvass between Captain Cox and ex-Sheriff Smith. — News.

This is one time the News told the truth. We acted consistent, honorable, fair, and we thought right in that contest, and have no remorse of conscience for anything we did. Could as much be truthfully said of the News man?

THE News like the man who said the horse was 16 feet high still claims the largest circulation. Each of us had to pay our quarter's postage this week and the postage on the News was \$1.15, while that of the News was \$2.50. The News is larger than the News and is printed on better paper, and some allowance should be made for that, but still \$1.15 is nearly five times as large as \$2.50. The News will probably get out of it by claiming a reduction in postage on account of the flimsy, cheap stuff with which its columns are filled.

LAST week's News charged us with having called Hon. R. P. Hocker in 1877, "A Political Hucker." We emphatically denied it, and this week's News, to prove it, published an editorial from the Herald of May the 30th, 1877. But alas! no such language is used. We repeat it. No such language can be found in the Herald.

The quotations from the Herald of May the 30th, was, however, written by A. H. Cummins, the editor of the News, and was inserted when I was from home engaged in the canvass, and the paper was issued before I returned home.

In the Herald of May the 16th, 1877, the following notice was inserted: "While I am engaged in the Legislative canvass the editorial columns of the Herald will be under the management and control of Mr. A. H. Cummins, and I, Barrett, will attend to the business of the office."

JOHN P. BARRITT.

Having written the editorial himself, it was easy for Cummins to remember it, and his attempt to use it in the way he has, is in keeping with his way of doing things.

Dr. J. W. Meador insists every time that he is a candidate, that he favors the saving of the people's money, is in favor of cutting down expenses, etc., etc., but, when elected, he takes care never to do anything in that line. During his first term, which was 1873-4, while the country was laboring under a financial panic, the like of which was never known before, a bill was introduced to establish a Court of Common Pleas in Fayette and other counties. The bill, as offered, fixed the Judge's salary at \$3,000. Mr. Meador offered an amendment fixing it at \$2,000 and Dr. J. W. Meador voted against this amendment. His vote in this matter is recorded in the Journal proceedings of January, 1874. Why did he do it?

"The Herald says, 'The Doctor J. W. Meador was a complete political nonentity, even for some years after the war, and espoused the Republican cause when he saw a chance for official preferment.' Now was not this, Barrett, at the beginning of the war, a strong Union man, who went on one trip, I am told, with the *Howe's Cavalry*, and did all in his power to drive the rebels from our land, but joined the rebel host for political preferment at the close of the war? — [L. T. Cox in News.]

Mr. Cox's logic to convince the public that Dr. Meador was not a political nonentity is laughable. We were on the Union side and yet a Union man, never favoring secession for a moment, went once with a lot of armed citizens in pursuit of a lot of thieving guerrillas, but does *not* prove that Dr. Meador was not a political nonentity, or does it justify his being an ass, or does it justify his being a traitor to the cause of the Union? At the close of the war, according to the terms of surrender there were no rebels left to join, they all gave in on terms presented them by the Federal army.

Congress Adjourned.

This happy event occurred on Tuesday last week. They made no appropriation for the pay of U. S. Marshals and their deputies, who can be appointed without limit to elector for Republican candidates at the next little pay of \$5,000 a day out of the U. S. Treasury. This ought to be stopped and we are glad that no appropriation was made and hope never will be made by any Congress to be used in such a partizan way. An appropriation was made to pay their legitimate fees, but his fraudulency, R. B. Hayes, voted it, so the marshals have to thank him for having to work without pay.

Remember.

The Republican managers are making

a great effort to impress the Federal soldiers, that they are their true, faithful, sincere friends, and that the Democratic party is hostile to them. Of course this is not true in either respect, but it is the best thing they can do to get the Federal soldiers to vote for them.

It is true how did it happen that the Hon. J. Z. Moore, an ex-confederate soldier, was appointed Register of Bankruptcy (which, by the way, is a very fat place, and was held by Mr. Moore quite a while). There are hundreds, ay, thousands of brave Federal soldiers in this end of the State, members of the Republican party who are just as honorable and as well qualified in every respect as Mr. Moore, but they were ignored.

When these Republican managers pretend to despise, was given the lucrative position. Federal soldiers will remember this.

Candidates Mutterings.

The candidates all had their say at the Court House Monday, but it is utterly impossible for us to give even a synopsis of what was said. Mr. J. A. Bennett, Greenbacker, led off, and among other things, said the greenbacks, now in circulation, were not redeemable, that there was no date or time fixed upon which to pay them. At the conclusion of his speech, Prof. W. B. Haywood replied and insisted that a promise to pay carried with it the force of payment on demand and the force of payment was specified to be made at some time in the future. He read on a greenback bill. "The United States will pay to bearer" and said that promise, unless repudiated, was good for payment on demand, and that he for one was no Republican.

Mr. Hocker followed, and in a very plain, straightforward speech of about forty minutes, in which he spoke of the issues of the day, the duties of the hour, what he had favored in the past and what he would favor if elected again.

Dr. J. W. Meador followed and did some neat dodging as is usually seen. He made, under the circumstances, as good a presentation of his claims as possibly could have been made. They speak to day at 12 o'clock.

Hon. C. L. Wedding, of Rockport Indiana, at Sulphur Springs.

L. C. Wedding, a renegade from Rockport Ky., yelled himself hoarse crying fraud. — *Ohio County News*.

It is evident from the tone of the News' correspondence from Sulphur Springs, that the ringing speech of Charles L. Wedding, delivered there on the 5th, hurt somebody, the ahead, Mr. News, if you think you can make any capital out of your "slurs and flings" at Mr. Wedding. A brief notice of his speech will be found in another column.

The statement that "L. C. Wedding, of Rockport Ky., yelled, &c." is about as near as the News can come to telling or printing the truth. In fact the truth is that office has been used to set up such "bustlers" that they have become so confused they will not tell the truth. Anybody that knows anything at all about it knows that his name is C. L. Wedding and he lives in Rockport, Ind.

OUR PREMIUM FAIR.

Col. Barrett, the energetic proprietor of the Herald Herald, two or three years ago, commenced holding tobacco and corn fairs, at which he distributed premiums to the subscribers of his paper for the best samples of these crops. These contests brought about a desire among the farmers for better seed, and induced better cultivation and handling, especially of the tobacco crop. It is well known that the tobacco heretofore

raised in that county has been rated low as to quality, and has been sold at three-fourths its value. We can not but regret that here what a tobacco warehouseman said to us last week: "Why," says he, "Ohio county is fast taking an advanced position with regard to the quality of her tobacco. Sales were made last week of tobacco about Hartford and Beaver Dam that astonished me, bringing over \$10 per hundred. They are now making a better grade and handling it in a better manner."

The spirit of enterprise exhibited by the Herald proprietor has repaid him well in the general improvement wrought in his county, and is worthy of imitation. The newspaper can encourage enterprise as well as disseminate news. — *Kentucky's Home Journal*.

The Elegant Hostess, Hon. Charles L. Wedding, on His Native Heath.

Editor Herald: Quite a number of the citizens of the county met at the Sulphur Springs on Saturday, July 5th. It was a pleasant day, and every thing was done by the managers to render the picnic enjoyable. The incident of the day, however, was the speech of Hon. Charles L. Wedding, of Rockport, Ind. He was on a visit to Kentucky, and attended the picnic for the purpose of seeing old friends and acquaintances. He was earnestly solicited to address the people on the political issues of the day and delivered an address which, for elegance of diction, grace of delivery and patriotic sentiment we have seldom, if ever, heard surpassed. Patriotic devotion and duty to country, he said, was higher and above allegiance to any and all political parties. He gave a review of his own political life and the reasons that induced him to abandon the Republican party and, as a liberty-loving citizen, join the Democratic party — the party in favor of constitutional liberty, free ballots, free elections, untrammeled and uncontrolled by armed soldiers at the polls. In fitting language he denounced the "Great Fraud" by which the people were cheated out of their choice in 1876, and the Presidential office given to one who was defeated by a quarter of a million votes. He paid a handsome and eloquent tribute to the present Congress for their effort to have expunged from our statutes all laws by which the President, *de facto*, with the aid of the army and marshals could control the elections. I can not give anything like a resume of his speech, not having taken notes. It was well received by his old friends and acquaintances, and Charles, as they all called him, was heartily congratulated. His speech showed, and we think will have a good effect in his old neighborhood, where his integrity, worth and ability are known and recognized by all who know him. — F.

Cheap Insurance.

The American Legal Aid Society, chartered by the Kentucky Legislature, Jan. 30, 1878, offers a cheap and safe insurance upon the lives of its members. Its directors are men of the highest integrity, prominent in the legal profession of Louisville, viz: Patrick Joyce, Stephen E. Jones, John G. Sharrill, James Caldwell, John H. Ward, and Dr. Turner Anderson. While the society was formed by the lawyers of Louisville for their own benefit, any healthy man may become a member. The object is to obtain 5,000 members, selected with care as to health and character. Admission fee \$10; yearly assessment of dues \$2.00. The assessments for deaths will be according to the age of the member at the time of joining the society as follows:

Those entering from 21 to 30 years, \$0.30
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When the whole number of members has been obtained (and the society is rapidly filling up) the amount paid on the death of a member will be \$5,000. Until that limit is reached the amount paid at the death will be as many dollars as there are members. Even with the present number of members this makes the cheapest insurance that has been offered. The secretary, L. L. Anderson, Louisville, Ky., will answer inquiries for further particulars. For further information apply at this office.

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A Card.

SULPHUR SPRING, OHIO, Ky., July 7th, 1879.

Editor Herald: In your issue of July 2nd I see a notice over the signature of Thomas Taylor concerning a pocket-book he claims to have lost. Whether it was intended as a burlesque to injure my character or whether it was one of the gentleman's characteristic tricks to try and induce the public to believe him a millionaire I am at a loss to determine. Now that I did find a pocket-book, I have never attempted to conceal it or deny (all my neighbors will bear me out in this) and that said pocket-book belongs to Mr. Taylor, I have no doubt, for I am of the opinion that there is not another man living in Ohio county that would dare to incur the risk and that of injuring the character of a gentleman, and also pay two or three dollars for an advertisement for a very common pocket-book, containing nothing in the world except one 25-cent piece and one nickel—30 cents in all. And all of this Mr. Taylor or any other gentleman can have by coming and describing the pocket-book. I am a laboring man and want to inform Mr. Taylor that I feel myself under no obligations to quit my crop and ride 15 miles to testify a witness. However, I will repeat that the pocket-book and money can be had by any reliable gentleman upon a description of the same.

A grand barbeque will be held at Obed Bennett's Grove, near No. Creek church, on Saturday, the 2nd day of August, 1879. The candidate will be present to speak. A good dinner will be set, and refreshments of all kinds will be furnished on the ground. Police will be present to keep good order, and nothing intoxicating will be allowed to be sold.

LOUIS GUENTHER, Manager.

The Biggest Thing Yet.

We will have the grandest, biggest and best barbeque of the season, at Barrett's Ferry, Saturday, August 2nd, 1879. The candidates will speak in the afternoon and Col. Q. C. Shanks and Hon. S. E. Hill are requested to speak in the forenoon. Good order will be had and an elegant dinner for 25 cents. For particulars see posters.

J. P. HILL, BEN STEVENS, } Proprietors.
J. B. CANAN, }

THE PHYSICAL PARADOX.

It has been said that "blood is the source of life." It is as truly the source of disease and death. No life, that is to say, no healthy tissue can be generated from impure blood, nor can the body can normally perform its functions when supplied with impure blood. The fluid that should carry health and life to every part, carries only weakness and disease. Blood is the source of life only when it is pure. If it has become diseased, it must be cleansed by proper medication, else every pulsation of the human heart sends a wave of disease through the system. To cleanse the blood of all impurities, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pellets, the most effective alterative, tonic, and cathartic remedies yet discovered. They are especially efficient in *scrupulous diseases*.

Rocheester Races.

I wish to make a statement of the way matters stand in regard to the race which came off on the 4th, between Mr. Finley and myself. We made an "up and up" race for \$100 a side, to be run on the square, by Finley's horse Bogus Bill and the mare Anna Cox. After the race had been made, Howard Finley left Morgantown and crossed the river, going to Geo. Cox's and bribed him by agreeing to give him \$10 to take the mare, Anna, to Rochester and had a ferry-boat taken up the river a half mile above town, crossed the river and put the mare in a tobacco barn to keep her hid until people had gone to bed, so as to run them on the sly; but, unluckily for Finley, the steam boat was late on Saturday night, not reaching Rochester until near 12 o'clock. The morning large amount of work to do, consequently, the whole town was astir until the wee sma hours. About day-break two horses ran over the track, which can be proven by good, responsible citizens. When I learned of this underhanded transaction, I accused Finley and Cox of it, and they both denied it. Finally the thing began to be crowded so closely that Cox owned up the whole bribing affair. He made it his excuse, as Finley was trying to bribe him, he thought he would let Anna beat Bogus Bill the first three hundred yards, and then let him beat the mare out, so Finley would think he had beaten the mare and bet more money, as Mr. Watson, the man I made the race for, wished to make the race for \$300. I was foolish enough to believe Cox, consequently took him to Rochester with me. Now, for the sequel: On Thursday before the race Mr. Finley, nor any of the friends of Bogus Bill, would let one dollar on the race. Finley, morning up, to about 11 1/2 or 12 o'clock, and one dollar would Finley bet. About 12 o'clock, Cox said to me, "I believe I will take Anna down to the woods and walk her, I am afraid the crowd will excite her." I thought nothing wrong, so he led her to the woods and was gone about an hour, when he walked her up through the street by Finley's stable, waving a hickory stick over her back. Mark this: Up to that time people had offered Finley one dollar to bet \$10 to \$25. He said he had all the bets he wanted.

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Grand Rally.

A Barbecue will be given at the Crossing of Turkey Run, by the South Carrollton road, on the 1st day of August, at which the county candidates have all promised to be present, and discourse politics to the good people. A good dinner at fair rates, and those who wish to, can be gratified by an old fashioned grand dance. Good order will be preserved, and no fighting, whisky or spirits of any kind, will be allowed to be sold on the ground. All are invited to attend.

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Catalogue.

We have received C. P. Barnes & Bro's Illustrated price list of jewelry for 1879. They have an immense stock and the list shows and describes the character and quality of each article. Any thing ordered from the catalogue will correspond with the description given of it. They have an enviable reputation for fair, honorable dealing. If they sell an article for all gold or all silver it is certain to be so. We have known them for many years and speak from our own experience in dealing with them.

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